Workshop Agenda: Public Tool to Evaluate Customer-Generation Contract or Tariff Options

March 30, 2015, 9:30 am - 12:30 pm

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Supporting Documents Available on the CPUC's Website at: http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/DistGen/NEMWorkShop04232014.htm

Background

On October 7, 2013, Governor Brown signed Assembly Bill (AB) 327 (Perea), directing the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC) to develop a successor standard tariff or contract to existing net energy metering (NEM) policies no later than December 15, 2015. For the full text of AB 327: http://leginfo.legislature.ca.gov/faces/billNavClient.xhtml?bill_id=201320140AB327

In May 2014, the CPUC selected Energy + Environmental Economics (E3) to develop a 'Public Tool' that would allow parties to test various options for a successor to existing net energy metering (NEM) tariffs. Additional information regarding the development of the Public Tool, including the availability of the draft version of the Public Tool, is available here:

http://www.cpuc.ca.gov/PUC/energy/DistGen/NEMWorkShop04232014.htm

Purpose

The purpose of this workshop is to demonstrate how to use the draft version of the Public Tool.

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A. Introduction and Overview (Ehren Seybert, CPUC)	9:30-9:40
 Welcome and housekeeping, purpose of today's workshop, 	
and next steps	
B. Overview of the Public Tool (E3)	9:40-10:15
Overview of structure and components of the Public Tool	
Description of model calculation process	
Overview of key driver inputs	
 Explanation of how avoided costs change with NEM 	
penetration	
Summary of results metrics	
C. How to Use the Public Tool (E3)	10:15-11:00
 Step-by-Step instructions for how to download the Tool, 	
define a scenario, select default and successor tariffs, run	
calculations, and view results	
Break (15 min)	11:00-11:15
D. 'Illustrative Scenario' Results (E3)	11:15-12:00
Description of Illustrative Scenario (Assumptions used in	
the 2013 NEM study, under current retail rates)	
Explanation of results from the Illustrative Scenario	
How results from the Illustrative Scenario compare to	
previous studies	
E. Example Sensitivity Analysis of Inputs in the Public Tool (E3)	12:00-12:25
How the Illustrative Scenario results change by changing	
certain Key Driver assumptions	
E. Closing Remarks (Ehren Seybert, CPUC)	12:25-12:30